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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>		<i>Title of Invention</i>	System and Method for Coupling and Redirecting Optical Energy Between Two Optical Waveguides Oriented at a Predetermined Angle
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))		<i>Named Inventor(s)</i>	Lonnie D. Lindsey
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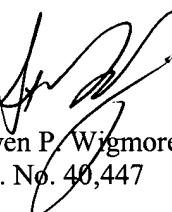
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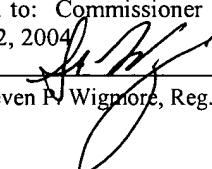
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